December 7, 2005

BOONE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT LOCAL/STATE BOARD FACILITIES HEARING REPORT AMENDMENT NO. 1

A Local/State public hearing was held at 8330 US 42, Florence, KY on December 6, 2005, at 6:30 PM (local time). The purpose of the public hearing was to propose an amended District Facility Plan developed by the Boone County Local Planning Committee. The Local Planning Committee (LPC) voted 15-0 in favor of the proposed amended plan and the Board voted 5-0 to approve the amendment.

There were (2) individuals in attendance. Michael J. Hibbett, Assistant Superintendent for Operations, served as the locally appointed hearing officer. Cindy Densler and Bobbi Grim were present.

COMMENTS

Ms. Cindy Densler called the public hearing to order. The hearing officer outlined the purpose of the hearing and the hearing procedures in accordance with 702 KAR 1:001. It was explained that those persons wishing to speak would be given the opportunity and that written statements would be accepted. It was also noted that all considerations will be made available to the Kentucky Board of Education via the hearing officer's report. The hearing officer read the proposed amendment to the District Facility Plan which includes: capital construction and major renovations, a new 700 student elementary school, (8) classroom additions, HVAC improvements and additional parking to Stephens Elementary School, Camp Ernst Middle School and Shirley Mann Elementary School, HVAC improvements and sound abatement at Conner High School, (2) health classroom and guidance suite addition to Boone County High School, (8) classroom additions and office/security entry renovation to Kelley Elementary School, sound abatement to the Boone County Area Technology Center, office/security entry renovation to Conner Middle School and Collins Elementary School, (4) classroom additions to Erpenbeck Elementary, HVAC improvements and classroom renovations in old building, MEP upgrades in old building to New Haven Elementary, (2) preschool classrooms and (2) standard classroom additions to Yealey Elementary. Discretionary projects include: (1) gymnasium addition to Boone County High School, minor renovations to include HVAC, paving, roofing and security system at Ryle High School and the construction of a new bus parking area at the Central Bus Garage.

The floor was opened to those who wished to make a statement. No statements were noted either orally or in written form.

RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the Amended District Facility Plan developed by the Boone County Local Planning Committee and adopted by the Boone County Board of Education be approved as the District Facility Plan for the Boone County School District. A copy of the amended plan is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael J. Hibbett, Assistant Superintendent for Operations

Reviewed by: Timothy K. Lucas

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